

## Around The Town

Mrs. William Chant has been ill the past few days.

Mrs. T. H. Dodd arrived in Kingman last Friday and expects to remain here for some time.

E. Lynn, chiropractor, of Colorado Springs, has opened an office at the Commercial Hotel in Kingman.

F. A. Wilde left Monday evening on a business trip to Los Angeles. He will be gone a week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Elliott left last Thursday on a trip to the coast. They expect to be back about the 28th.

Mrs. C. M. Leonard left for New Brunswick, Canada, on Tuesday night to spend several months with relatives.

Charles W. Herndon has been retained as attorney for the New Comstock Mining company, it is understood.

James Uncapher and H. L. McCann have been looking over the mines of the Chemehuevi mountain country this week.

Lydia Bernard, who has been ill the past week is much better, and will soon resume her duties at the Crystal Confectionery.

George A. Blood and W. L. Brantford, prominent Salt Lake mining men, stopped in Kingman Thursday on their way to the coast.

Melvin George has sold his interest in the meat market at Oatman to Philip Olsen. Mr. George expects to reside in Kingman hereafter.

M. J. Trainer, who conducted a barber shop here for a number of years and who is now located at Ripley, California, is spending a few days here.

Harry Drake, formerly of Oatman, has been appointed resident representative of the Katherine Townsite and will now make his home at Katherine.

Doctor George W. Bedinger, accompanied by Mrs. Bedinger, stopped in Kingman for a few days this week. The Bedingers are on their way to Flagstaff.

Henry Lang was called to Denver

## PIONEERS MET AT PHOENIX LAST WEEK

Among the pioneers of the state of Arizona attending the recent reunion of pioneers, was James Pearce, who claims that his father started the ferry at what is now known as Pearce ferry, the crossing near the Grass Springs ranch of G. T. Duncan, in this county. The beginning of ferryage was in 1858, stated Mr. Pearce, his father Harrison Pearce building the first ferry boat used on the upper river.

At one time Pearce' ferry was the only real crossing of the river, immigrants using that route in traveling from Arizona to the north and the travelers from the north using the same trail on their way to Arizona and Mexico. The same route was used some years before that when a reconnoitering party made the trip from California and Nevada looking for a feasible route across the country, the party making a trip far up the canyon and then on to Prescott country and south, passing through what is now termed Crozier canyon, but at that time named Yampai canyon. In passing, we would say that in 1852 the same route was tried out by a party in which the mother of the late Thomas Logan, formerly of this county, was traveling with her parents. This party made several unsuccessful trials to cross the river, going in by old Peach Springs. The party camped at the spring and the girl who afterwards became Mrs. Logan planted the seeds that afterward developed into the several peach trees that for nearly 60 years produced delicious fruit, and was the cause primarily of the naming of Peach Springs, this county.

It is close to Pearce ferry that the site of the bridge on the Arrowhead Trail was selected and where we hope it will soon be built. This point is just below the mouth of the Grand Canyon and a beautiful view of the lower end of the great gorge can be had from there.

Another of the pioneers to make his appearance at the gathering was Charles Allabach, at one time in charge of the government printing office at Fort Whipple. Allabach is now at the Soldiers' Home at Santee, California. The writer worked with Allabach in 1880 at Prescott.

T. D. Sanders told a story of a party of whom he was a member, coming into Mohave county in 1863 and having an encounter with a band of Wallapai Indians, each member of the party singling out the particular Indian that he was to pick off and in this way wiping out the entire band, scalping the dead braves and taking the scalps to Capt. Hardy at Hardyville. Sanders was one of the men coming to the territory after the First California Volunteers arrived at Fort Mohave, and prospected in the country from Union Pass southward and then passing into the Cerbatas, where the first district was formed, the men calling it Sacramento district.

### SURPRISE PARTY

A pleasant surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. A. L. Tilton on Wednesday afternoon, by the Ladies Aid Society. After a social hour in the church parlors, delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served. The honor guest was then presented with a beautiful gold thimble after a presentation speech by Mr. Dodd. Mrs. Tilton responded with a graceful speech of acceptance.

### PUTTING CORPORATIONS OUT

The governor of Utah has issued a proclamation rescinding the right of 600 corporations in the Mormon state to do business, because of failure to pay their occupation tax. In Arizona no proclamation is necessary to put a company out of business if it fails to pay its annual tax, the corporation commission simply dropping them from the list of active companies.

## LADIES' AUXILIARY DANCE TUESDAY

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion Swasey Post, will give a dance next Tuesday night, April 26 at the Legion headquarters, in the Odd Fellows Hall. The Auxiliary was only recently organized and this is their first affair of this kind, and promises to be a good one. Dancing will start at 9 and the public is invited. Refreshments will be served. The Mohave Syncopators, Kingman's new orchestra have been engaged to furnish the music.

## TAKES VACATION

W. C. Howard, vice-president and general manager of the New Comstock, accompanied A. Sutro to the coast upon the latter's return and it is understood will take a vacation covering a period of a month or so. During his absence, in order to have someone officially connected to represent the company, R. L. Dimmick was temporarily elected to the office of vice-president and general manager of the New Comstock.

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## THANKS

The Women's Guild of Trinity Mission heartily thanks all those who so generously helped in their Kitchen and Cooked Food Sale. The Sale was very successful and is the first of many such affairs to come.

## LADIES AID

The Ladies Aid Society will meet in the church parlors next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. All are cordially invited.

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## BANKING SERVICE

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### "The Sentinel Man"

By KEAN ST. CHARLES.

NOTE—Red Gap Summit where you look into four states and to the Eagle's nest above you and see the Stone Sentinel Man, who stands guard over the golden treasures of Red Gap Mountain.

On the highest point of Red Gap Hill, The Sentinel Man stands, grim and still, Guarding the treasures that lie in the rocks Hidden by nature with hard flinty locks.

He stands there alone in sunshine and rain, His eagle eye scanning the mountain and plain, For ages he's stood, gold treasures to guard, With never a rhyme from the Wallapai Bard.

When the sun in the west drops rosy to bed, The Sentinel Man to duty is wed, No lure of the desert or call of the sky, Can make him forsake his pinnacle high.

He stands over treasures, platinum and gold, Yet hid in the breast of earth's rocky fold, For ages he's stood, majestic and bold A true son of nature, guarding the gold.

Loud blasts at his feet, disturbs not his stand, Nor changes his view of river and land, No wrangles of man or struggles for bread, Concerns him the least in his stand overhead.

What a tale he could tell, of the years he's been there, Watching our gold with tenderest care His guard very soon, will be a thing of the past, For we're blasting the lock of the treasure at last.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of John Wolfskill, Deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John Wolfskill, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at his office in Kingman, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mohave. Dated: April 11, 1921. C. W. HERNDON, Administrator of the Estate of John Wolfskill, deceased. First insertion April 22. Last insertion May 5.

### CHURCH NOTICES

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Probation after Death". Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m., I. O. O. F. Hall.

#### ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Sunday, April 24th. Mass will be said at 8:00 A. M. by the Rev. Father Edw. Quedet from San Francisco, Cal. Benediction after mass.

Father Hootsmans.

#### ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

There will be no Service Friday, April 22nd, but the Rt. Rev. J. W. Atwood, D. D., Bishop of the Episcopal Church of Arizona, will be in Kingman, Saturday, April 23rd, to administer the right of Confirmation at Evening Service, 7:30 P. M. in the Guild Hall, three doors east of the Courthouse on Spring Street. The public is cordially invited.

#### TRINITY MISSION

Church School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11 A. M. Evening Service 7:30 P. M. Tuesday Evening: Boy Scouts. Wednesday Evening: Ladies Aid Society. Wednesday Evening: Bible Study. REV. T. H. DODD, Minister.

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# Ford

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	Produced	Delivered to Retail Customers
January	29,883	57,208
February	35,305	63,603
March	61,886	87,221
Total Production	127,074	Total Retail Sales 208,032

showing that actual sales for the first three months of 1921 exceeded production by 80,958 Ford cars and trucks!

April requisitions already specify 107,719 additional cars and trucks and the estimated April output of the factory and assembly plants combined calls for only 90,000!

These facts clearly show that the demand for Ford products is growing faster than manufacturing facilities to produce and were it not for the dealers' limited stocks, which are now being rapidly depleted, many more customers would have been compelled to wait for their cars. It will be only a matter of weeks, therefore, until a big surplus of orders will prevent anything like prompt deliveries.

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